

TAPLEJUNG AIRPORT



Brief Description

Taplejung Airport is situated at Phungling Municipality, Suketar of Taplejung District, Province No. 1. The airport serves as a gateway to Kanchanjanga Conservation Area, thus is a very important destination for tourist movement. This airport is air linked with Biratnagar and Kathmandu.

General Information

Name	TAPLEJUNG
Location Indicator	VNTJ
Aerodrome Reference Code	1'A' Type 3
Aerodrome Reference Point	27 21 03 N/087 41 45E
Province/District	1(One)/Taplejung
Distance and Direction from City	8 Km from Phungling Bazaar
Elevation	2419 m./7936 ft. (Ref. Topographical base map of Survey Dept.)
Contact	Off: 977-24460518 Tower: 977-24460518 Fax: Not Available AFS: VNTJYDYX E-mail:taplejung_cao@caanepal.org.np

Operation Hours	Jan, Feb, Nov, Dec	0645LT-1230LT
	Mar, Apr, Sept, Oct	0615LT-1230LT
	May, Jun, July, Aug	0600LT-1230LT
Status	Operational	
Year of Start of Operation	October, 1976	
Serviceability	Seasonal	
Land	Approx. 83178.58 m ²	
Re-fueling Facility	Not Available	
Service	AFIS	
	Visual Flight Rules (VFR)	
Type of Aircraft	D228, DHC6, L410, Y12, C208	
RFF Category	Not Available	

Infrastructure Condition

Airside

Runway	Type of Surface	Bituminous Paved (Asphalt Concrete)
	Runway Dimension	700 m x 20 m
	Runway Designation	07/25
Parking Capacity	Three Small Aircrafts	

Passenger Facilities [Not Available]

Airport Facilities

Console	One Man Position Tower Console with Associated Equipment and Accessories	
Communication, Navigation & Surveillance Systems		
	Communication	HF SSB, VHF
	Navigation	None
Security and Facilitations		
	X-Ray	No
	Metal Detector	Hand Held
	CCTV Surveillance System	No
	UHF Band Communication System	No
	FIDS	No
Meteorological Services		Yes [Tower Observation]
Electro-Mechanical Facilities		
	Supply Condition	Single Phase Supply without AGL
	PAPI/APAPI Light	No
	Stand -by-supply	Solar/Invertor
	Air Conditioner	No
Rescue and Fire Fighting Services		No